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From WV DHSEM, Larry Messina, Dave Boucher, Ken Ward, Jr., American Rivers & others.



<http://ow.ly/sAm6m> Interesting piece in ScientificAmerican explores [#WVChemLeak](#)

New Yorkers pay it forward, driving 12 hours to deliver water to people affected by chemical spill <http://huff.to/1e1R8kU>

The Kanawha Valley is known as 'Chemical Valley'. Here's [@Appalshop](#)'s doc. on the subject: <http://wvpub.lc/sUY9U>

Can't believe no lawmakers asked why National Guard and water company aren't actually testing in homes from people's taps.

Also hasn't mentioned that a few test samples collected at same times, sites showed different results: <http://www.charlestondaily.com/News/201401170006?page=2&build=cache> ...

Two dozen WV scientists call for more transparency from EPA and CDC in response to chemical spill <http://blog.ucsusa.org/west-virginia-scientists-to-epa-cdc-allow-your-scientists-to-speak-389> ...

Chair of Chem Safety Board on MCHM and PPH: "They shouldn't be in drinking water period. At any level."

Note that General Hoyer is not a toxicologist or an expert on toxic chemicals and their impacts on human health.

Operational Sampling Results as of 11am on 24Jan2014 posted at... <http://fb.me/14qlGlr8S>

Here are a couple stories from [@AndreaLannom](#) on the bankruptcy (<http://www.charlestondaily.com/News/statenews/201401210148> ... and <http://www.charlestondaily.com/News/201401200113> ...)

Smith: EPA, DEP should've had "a closer eye" on Freedom. "Instead, they've devoted the last several years targeting the coal industry"

GOP Delegate [@RandyESmithWV](#) says state regulators were too focused on coal instead of chem plants like Freedom Industries

Letter: "If the government had been more forthcoming about what is not known about the leaked chemicals..."

It's time the **#EPA** & **#CDC** stop silencing WV scientists! <http://blog.ucsusa.org/west-virginia-scientists-to-epa-cdc-allow-your-scientists-to-speak-389> ...

H2O Secret Poison Scientists Race to Identify What Gov. Is Not Testing <http://bit.ly/1ejtfBL>

"update your policies and practices to allow unfettered access to the scientists whose expertise can help prevent illness and injury"

Group of 24 WV scientists send letter to EPA, CDC asking agencies allow it scientists speak freely about **#wvchemleak** <http://www.ucsusa.org/assets/documents/center-for-science-and-democracy/letter-to-epa-cdc-from-wv-scientists.pdf> ...

Freedom Industries was ordered to move chems at Nitro site into safe tanks by Thursday. They didn't: <http://www.charlestondaily.com/News/Kanawha/201401230168> ...

Proposed budget would cut **#WV** DEP by about \$500,000 **#wvchemleak**
<http://www.wvpolicy.org/2014-budget-breakfast> ...

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Marketing is no longer about the stuff that you make, but about the stories you tell - **S. Godin**

